

FISCAL NOTE

SB 664 - HB 716

February 23, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that according to the provisions of the *Underground Utility Damage Prevention Act* digging of holes for fence posts on private property in any area located within 100 feet of the edge of the pavement of a street or highway is considered excavation. As a result, any such act would require notification to either the local one-call service established for such notification or in the absence of such local service, to each operator that has underground utilities in the county.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

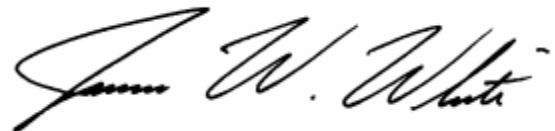
Local Govt. Expenditures – Net Impact - Not Significant

Assumption:

- Local government utility companies may experience an increase in administrative duties due to having to field additional inquiries related to such excavation however any such increase is estimated to be offset by a decrease in expenditures due to fewer damaged underground utilities.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "White" clearly distinguishable.

James W. White, Executive Director